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TO AMEMBASSY BELGRADE IMMEDIATE

AMEMBASSY BUCHAREST IMMEDIATE

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EXDIS: FROM ASST SECYS MAYNES AND VEST FOR AMBASSADOR

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PORG, YO

SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE TO THE YUGOSLAV CHAIRMAN OF
BELGRADE NAM MEETING

REF: BELGRADE 5275

BUCHAREST: PASS TO AMBASSADOR YOUNG

1. WE ARE INTRIGUED BY YUGOSLAV SUGGESTION THAT PRESIDENT
SEND A MESSAGE TO YUGOSLAV FOREIGN SECRETARY AS CHAIRMAN OF
NON-ALIGNED FOREIGN MINISTERS CONFERENCE. WE WILL BE STAFF-
ING OUT THAT PROPOSAL AND IN DOING SO WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR
FURTHER COMMENTS ON ADVANTAGES AND RISKS OF SENDING SUCH A
MESSAGE .

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2. WE TAKE AT FACE VALUE YUGOSLAV CLAIM THAT SUCH A
MESSAGE WOULD STRENGTHEN HANDS OF NAM MODERATES AND WE
ATTACH IMPORTANCE TO THAT OBJECTIVE. AT THE SAME TIME,
WE SEE A RISK IN PRESIDENTIAL STATEMENT WHICH SOME MIGHT
ATTEMPT LATER TO ASSOCIATE WITH A FINAL DOCUMENT CERTAIN
TO CONTAIN STATEMENTS ON KEY FOREIGN POLICY ISSUES WHICH
ARE NOT COMPATIBLE WITH U.S. POSITIONS. FOR EXAMPLE,

BASED UPON RECENT HAVANA NON-ALIGNED TEXT, THE FINAL
DOCUMENT MIGHT WELL CALL FOR INDEPENDENCE OF PUERTO RICO

AND WILL CITE ZIONISM-RACISM FORMULA UNLESS MODERATES TAKE
A STAND. WE DO NOT THINK IT IS REALISTIC TO ASK THE
YUGOSLAVS TO GUARANTEE AGAINST APPEARANCE OF SUCH
OFFENSIVE STATEMENTS IN THE FINAL DOCUMENT, BUT WE WOULD
LIKE TO CONSIDER HOW, IN TRANSMITTING PRESIDENTIAL STATE-
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